Ever wonder, "Why and how to recycle?" Sure, it's good for the environment, but there's more to it than that. When you use Recycle Often. Recycle Right. M great things happen.

By recycling properly, we can save tons of raw materials, which in turn saves time, energy and expense. Consider this: recycling just one aluminum can saves enough energy to:

- Run a TV for two hours.
- Power a 14-watt CFL blub for 20 hours.
- · Power a computer for three hours.

The Main Rules of Recycling:

- 1. Recycle all bottles, cans and paper.
- 2. Keep items clean and dry
- 3. NO plastic bags.

We need your help to sustain recycling. Certain offenders can slow down the recycling process or even ruin the load.

If we all do our part, the results can really add up. Last year alone, Waste Management recycled enough material to fill nearly 169,000 737's.

What Needs to Be Done Before Recyclables Go Into the Container?

- Leave caps loosely on bottles
- Rinse cans, bottles and jars
- No need to remove labels
- Flatten your cardboard and paperboard to save space
- No plastic bags (such as grocery bags) or foam cups
- All recyclable materials must be inside the tote. Material outside of the tote will not be picked up.

Hazardous Items

Waste Management will not collect solid or liquid hazardous waste. Household hazardous waste and electronics items can be brought to the Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics facility at no extra charge for city residents.

Clean-Up Weeks

The City of Bismarck will continue to offer Spring and Fall Clean-Up Weeks which offers residents an opportunity to dispose of unwanted items that aren't normally picked up on garbage collection days such as furniture, appliances, tires and other large items.

Spring Clean-Up Week - May 2 - 6, 2016 • **Fall -** September 26-30, 2016

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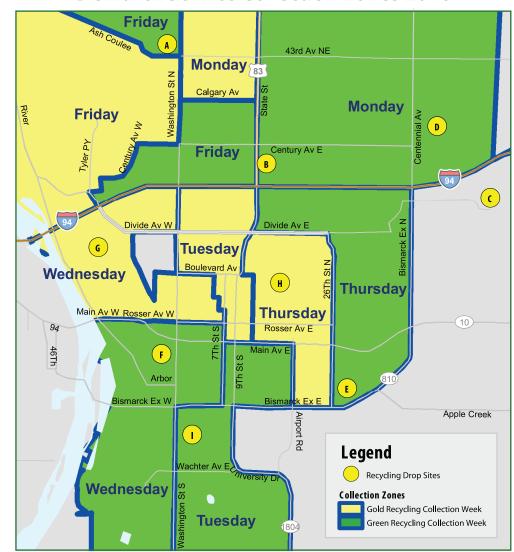
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Bismarck Service Collection Zones 2016



Recycling Drop Site Locations

- A. Ash Coulee Road Water Tower, west of Washington Street North
- B. Kmart Parking Lot, east side of Kmart building
- C. Bismarck Landfill only available during hours of operation
- D. Dan's Supermarket Sunrise Town Centre, 3103 Yorktown Drive
- **E.** Bismarck Public Works parking lot, NW corner of employee lot
- **F.** W. Arbor Ave., west of S. Anderson St. (parking lot west of Parks Dept. Maintenance Building)
- **G.** Edwards Ave. Bismarck State College Community Bowl (west side of parking lot)
- I. Billings Drive, just south of Reno Ave.

2016 Collection Schedule

Save this sheet for future reference. Please fill in your pickup day and recycling week - Green or Gold - on the right, using the Service Zone map on the middle panel.

Waste Management will collect recycling every other week between 6:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on your designated service day.

Holidays

New Year's Day – Friday, January 1, 2016
Friday service will be picked up Saturday.

Memorial Day – Monday, May 30, 2016
Service day will be delayed by one day all week.

Independence Day – Monday, July 4, 2016
Service day will be delayed by one day all week.

Labor Day – Monday, September 5, 2016
Service day will be delayed by one day all week.

Thanksgiving Day – Thursday, November 24, 2016
Thursday & Friday service will be delayed by one day.

Christmas Day – Sunday, December 25, 2016
No delay in service. All routes are on schedule.

If a scheduled collection day falls on a holiday or the day after, collection will be delayed one day. For example, Tuesday customers will be serviced on Wednesday. If your scheduled collection day falls on a Friday holiday, collection will be on Saturday. Should there be a permanent change in your collection day, we will notify you in advance.

Missed Collection

Despite our best efforts, we occasionally miss scheduled collections. If we do, please call us as soon as you can at (888) 960-0008. We'll try to return on the same day to pick it up, without charge. If our driver has already left the City of Bismarck, we'll pick up at the missed stop the following day.

Curbside Timing

Place your carts at the curb no later than 6:00 a.m. the day of collection. After collection, all carts should be removed from the curb no later than the evening of your collection day.

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Pick-up day

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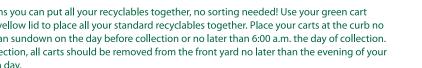


H. Hillside Park, 17th Street North and Avenue F



Single-Sort Recycling Service

This means you can put all your recyclables together, no sorting needed! Use your green cart with the yellow lid to place all your standard recyclables together. Place your carts at the curb no earlier than sundown on the day before collection or no later than 6:00 a.m. the day of collection. After collection, all carts should be removed from the front yard no later than the evening of your





Chipboard and Boxboard Like empty cereal and cracker boxes.



Brown Paper Bags



Phone Books, Books, Catalogs and Magazines



Newspapers



Paper Cardboard, Dairy and Juice Containers



Including envelopes.



Glass Bottles and Jars



Office and **School Paper**



Cardboard Collapse boxes/cut large boxes down to 3'x3'.



Plastic Bottles and Containers #1-#7 Return plastic bags to retail store collections.





Aluminum Foil and Cans



Tin or Steel Cans

Items that cannot be recycled.

Candy wrappers Carbon paper

Food-soiled cardboard

Plastic bags and clear plastic wrap Plates and dishes

Food or any organic waste

Polystyrene foam products Used paper cups and paper plates Used paper towels and tissues Waxed cardboard and paper

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Residential Single-Sort Recycling Information



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